

### **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the sentence at the top of the first page just below the title with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

This application is a divisional application from Serial No. 09/472,985, filed December 28, 1999, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,309,579, which is a divisional application from U.S. Serial No. 08/649,306, filed May 17, 1996, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,063,321, which claims priority to Japanese Patent Application Nos. 8-97044 filed on April 18, 1996 and 7-121706 filed on May 19, 1995 the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.